

Early Phoenician Script	East-Syriac Reading	Transliteration Value	Numerical Value
𐤁	⟩āla⟩āp	⟩	1
𐤁	bēt	b	2
𐤂	gāmal	g	3
𐤃	dālat <u>d</u>	d	4
𐤄	hē	h	5
𐤄	wāw	w	6
𐤆	zay(n)	z	7
𐤇	hēt	h	8
𐤈	ṭēt	ṭ	9
𐤉 𐤁	yō/ūd	y	10
𐤊	kāp	k	20
𐤋	lāmad	l	30
𐤌	mīm	m	40
߱	nūn	n	50
߱	semkat <u>l</u>	s	60
߱	‘ē	‘	70
߱	pē	p	80
	ṣādē	ṣ	90
߱	qōp	q	100
߱	rēš	r	200
߱	šīn	š	300
߱	taw	t	400

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### **Dedication**

I dedicate all my work published in 2008 to His Holiness Mar Dinkha IV,  
Catholicos-Patriarch of **The Assyrian Church of the East**, with love and respect.